

The Profitability Impact of Self-Supported PostgreSQL

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Today's Speaker



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Agenda

- Your PostgreSQL story
- DI-Why: What matters to you?
- Support partner choices
- Making a decision about support



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How would you describe where you are with Postgres?

- 1. Considering Postgres in the future, but early in experimentation
- 2. Actively using it as in proof-of-concept on our own
- 3. In one or more proofs-of-concept with a chosen partner
- 4. Actively using Postgres in production and self-supporting
- 5. In production for one or more applications with a chosen partner



DI-Why: Compelling Reasons for the DIY Journey

Low/No-risk use case

- Small-scale implementations for low-tier applications
- Environments in which compliance and uptime are negligible

Built-by-User strategy

- Corporate mandate for in-house development on many/all applications
- Open source ownership: Operating a custom fork or compilation for specialized needs

Capability vs. Cost

- Database technology needs are minimal with no compelling requirements for new features
- All data is treated as point-in-time with no storage or scaled queries across persistent datasets



DI-Why Not: The Challenges of the DIY Journey

- Modernization as a Distraction
 - In-house experts may dilute team effort on the outcomes that matter
 - Custom-built = merges, testing, feature deviation
- DBaaSC (Database-as-a-Sunken-Cost)
 - Technology investments may require greater database team spend in order to grow with business and product roadmaps
- DIY = Self-Supported = Risk
 - Questions and guidance are tried in the court of opinion, not answers
 - The burden of risk and revenue is yours alone



"Don't wait until a crisis hits to get ready" Deloitte¹



Gartner estimates that on average, every *minute of downtime can cost a business \$5,600*, which quickly adds up to over \$300k per hour.²



https://www2.deloitte.com/ba/en/pages/risk/solutions/deloitte-center-for-crisis-management.html

https://www.computerworld.com/article/3237726/what-cios-can-learn-in-the-wake-of-a-major-it-outage.htm

The Alternative: Expert Engagement Consulting Partner or Platform Provider?

	Consulting Partner	Platform Partner	
Risk	 Risk is unpredictable 24x7 is per customer x daily risks Compliance isn't a given 	 Resilient and scales Scales from development to 99.9999% Capability and compliance by design 	
Approach	Project-oriented Project-capable Team scale 	 Support focused with support processes Scalable model, globally-capable Organizational scale 	
Software	 Tourniquet to tactical Limited in break/fix and test validation Symptom-driven 	Open source as a product Community-strong, roadmap-oriented Fixes symptoms & scaled cause 	



PostgreSQL Platform Partner Support

Better People and Process

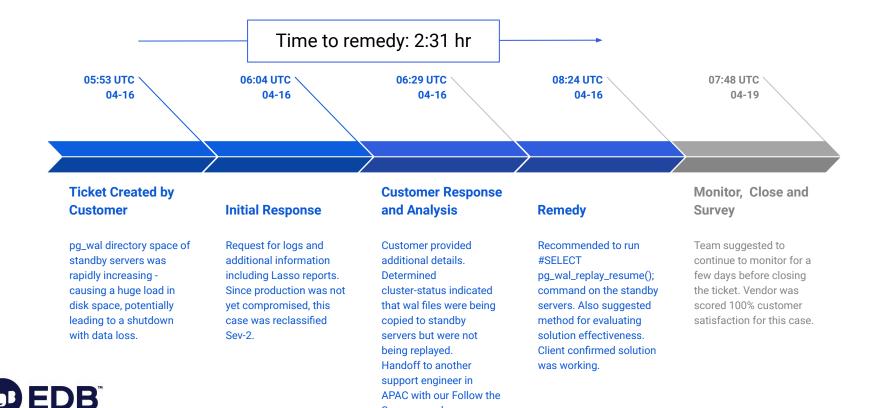
- Postgres experts
- 24x7 coverage
- Response and remedy SLOs
- Follow the sun approach
- Best practices and guidance

Better Outcomes

- Reduce risk
- Decrease downtime
- Reduce overhead
- Reallocation of resources



pg_wal directory of standby servers increasing rapidly Petroleum and natural gas company: Case #92283 – Severity 1



Sun approach.

Where are you?

- Do you run business-critical applications on PostgreSQL?
- Does your organization have the skills/expertise?
- Do you have the resources/budget?
- Are strategic initiatives not being addressed?
- Do you have compliance requirements (SOX, FIPS, ISO, etc.) which require you to have or to disclose self-supported systems?
- What is the risk to your company in the event of a critical outage? (productivity, revenue, reputation, etc.)



EDB Support Services Purpose-Fit for the journey.

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